

## Don't Look Old Before Your Time

That backache, so common among women, brings with it the sunken chest, the headache, tired muscles, crow's feet, and soon the youthful body is no more youthful in appearance—and all because of lack of attention.

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Neglect it and it soon creeps in, and the look of old age, sometimes quickly, sometimes gradually follows.

## WASHINGTON LETTER.

(By Clyde H. Tavenner.)

Three million dollars is to be the saving to the people of the country as the result of the fact that Congressman Ben Johnson of Kentucky is Chairman of the House Committee on the District of Columbia. He discovered that the people in the states are paying one-half of the taxes for those who reside in the District of Columbia and until he began to make a fight in Congress they did not know it. Even some of the members of Congress did not know it.

The practice of the government standing one-half of the taxes for residents of the District of Columbia is an old one. It has been going on for years. Custom is a hard thing to break down. But there is really no more reason why the people of the states should bear half of the expense of maintaining the District of Columbia than there is why they should pay half of the taxes of the residents of the capitals of states. The old policy of the government to stand one-half of the taxes makes Washington a fine place for tax dodging millionaires to build their palaces. It might only be expected that when Mr. Johnson began his fight pressure would be brought to bear on him to force him to abandon it. It was. The great newspapers of Washington flayed him and ridiculed him; the Senate set itself up against him, he was opposed on the floor of the House, and he had to fight and fight hard, for every inch of headway he made.

But Mr. Johnson took the attitude that he was sent to Congress to serve the best interests of all the people and not for the purpose of perpetuating soft snaps for the wealthy of the District of Columbia. Mr. Johnson after a hard fight, succeeded in striking more than three millions of dollars out of the last appropriation bill for the District of Columbia.

"The people back in the States are taxed to carry on their local city, county and state governments, and, in addition, are taxed to pay one-half of all the municipal expenses of the City of Washington," declared Mr. Johnson. "Congress quarrels and fights within itself over the question as to whether one or two battleships shall be built, and without batting an eye or asking a question votes the price of a dread-naught to Washington each Congress. Widows of the old soldiers are compelled to fight and scramble for an eight dollar or a twelve dollar a month pension, but the widow of a Washington policeman is paid a pension of fifty dollars a month and no questions asked, while the eight dollar pensioned widow back in the states is taxed to help pay it. The same may be said of the old soldier himself."

"The county school teacher bears her part of a tax burden in order to pay the school teacher \$1,800 for teaching 280 hours in the schools of Washington. The school child back in the states bears its proportion of tax at home for school books, and then pays a tax to buy school books for the child of

the millionaire who lives in Washington. The farmer on the rural route in the states must carry a lantern on his road or travel in the dark while he pays his proportion of the cost to put electric lights on the rural routes which lead out of the city of Washington to the limits of the seventy square miles which constitute the District of Columbia.

"The school child back in the states is given desk room in its humble school at a cost of a dollar or two, while that child hears its proportion of tax which is imposed upon the American people to give desk room costing \$1,210 for each child which has entered the school age during the last five years in the city of Washington.

## Bad Telephone Manners.

In a very interesting article in "Telephone Courtesy," in the March Woman's Home Companion, the author says in part:

"No well-bred man or woman would drop into a man's parlor before he starts for business in the morning, and engage him in a long-winded discussion. Yet I have known women interested in charities or civic movements to call up a business man at his home by telephone during the breakfast hour, and start the conversation by stating that they had chosen the hour, knowing that he would surely be 'at leisure.' They have ignored the crisscross of not the bluntness of his replies, and continued to talk while his breakfast cooled or his affairs at the office demanded his presence. And finally they have wondered why their mission failed!

"Would any woman making any pretense to good breeding enter your home at dinner-time and engage you in conversation knowing that your dinner and family awaited you in the dining room? Yet how often have you been greeted at the telephone with this remark?

"Oh, were you at dinner? Then I won't keep you a minute." But the minute runs into five or ten, the talker holding you grimly to the topic nearest her heart, while your dinner turns cold.

"Is it any wonder that business men protect themselves by sending clerks to answer the telephone? or that in many households servants ask who is calling and what is wanted before summoning members of the family? How else can one protect himself from telephone bores and the abuse of telephone courtesy?"

John G. Worthington went to Kansas City Tuesday to spend the day.

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Miss Mary Lillian Atkinson went to Kansas City Saturday to spend the day.

## Cleanliness.

Many diseases cause infection of the sputum or spit. When this infected sputum is deposited where it may evaporate, dry, and turn to dust, the little particles of dust contain the germs of the disease in question. This dust is carried about from place to place in the house by currents of air and may serve to infect those who breathe it. The mumps, scarlet fever, diphtheria, diseases spread thru the sputum-cerebro-meningitis, infantile paralysis, influenza, tonsillitis and others.

When speaking of cleanliness, it should be understood that this germ-laden dust is the dirt that is to be dreaded. Cleanliness, then, means care in the guarding of bacteria and in preventing the spread of bacteria by excreta. The ordinary dirt such as the soil ashes, etc., which is brought into the house on the feet or is blown in, is practically harmless.

B. C. Drummond went to Kansas City Friday on business.

Mrs. Ada B. Carter went to Kansas City Friday for a few days' visit.

Mrs. J. C. McGrew, Sr., went to Kansas City Thursday evening for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Anna Higgins and daughter, Miss Adelaide, arrived from Higginsville Thursday evening for a few days' visit.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Coffin went to Mexico, Mo., Thursday evening for a short visit.

O. M. Elliott went to Fulton Saturday for a few days' visit.

Miss Anna Lyons, who has been visiting her brother, Chas. Lyons, returned to her home in Page City Saturday morning.

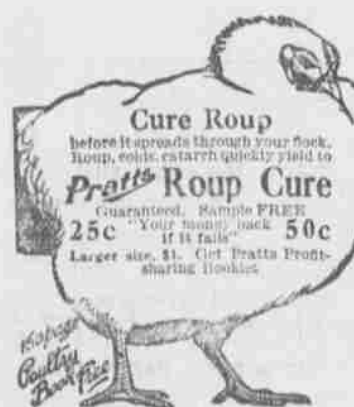
Mrs. H. C. Thee, who has been visiting here, returned to her home in Higginsville Saturday.

Miss Mayme Stewart went to Independence Saturday for a few days' visit.

Dr. A. E. Rogers went to Emineton Saturday on business.

Rev. A. E. Winslow left Saturday for a business trip to Palo, Missouri.

E. M. Paulman accompanied by his son, Robert, went to Kansas City Saturday on business.



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## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Mrs. Margaret Ward, who has been visiting in Kansas City, returned home Friday evening.

Mrs. A. W. Sandring, Miss Lillie Quandt and Miss Laura Winkler, who have been visiting in Kansas City, returned home Friday evening.

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Mrs. T. J. Greene and daughter, Miss Edna, went to Kansas City Saturday morning to spend the day.

Miss Mary Wilson went to Kansas City Saturday for a few days' visit.

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Miss Anna Rostagno went to Kansas City Saturday for a few days' visit.

M. Ladesor went to Marshall Monday evening on business.

Chas. Rex of Fowler, Kansas, arrived Monday evening for a few weeks' visit.

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